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NAIROBI A-101 AUGUST 1975

1. NARRATIVE PORTION: WORK PROGRESSING ON THREE MAJOR ASSEMBLY PLANTS REPORTED IN NAIROBI A-101, LEYLAND (KENYA) LTD IS TO BEGIN PRODUCTION IN SEPT'76 AT THIKA FACILITY. ASSOCIATED VEHICLES ASEMBLERS (AVA) LTD BEGAN CONSTRUCTION OF MOMBASA FACILITY JUNE'76, PRODUCTION TO START JULY'77. GROUND BREAKING FOR GENERAL MOTORS (KENYA) LTD FACILITY NAIROBI WAS HELD IN APRIL'76, PRODUCTION EXPECTED IN AUGUST 1977.

2. QUESTIONNAIRE INFORMATION

A) CY 1975 UNITS PRODUCED OR ASSEMBLED: NO MOTOR VEHICLE ASSEMBLY IN CY1975.

2B) TOTAL REGISTRATION BY TYPE, UNITS MANUFACTURED IN U.S. NB DATA AVAILABLE.

2C) UNITS REGISTERED BY TYPE: SALOON CARS (83,676); STATION WAGONS (14,609); UTILITIES AND PICK-UPS (43,740) LARRIES (20,875) BUSES (3,063):

MINI-BUSES (1,542); SPECIAL PURPOSE VEHICLES (609); TRAILERS (8,601) ROLLERS, GRADERS, CRANES

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(1,313) WHEELED TRACTORS (9,925); CRAWLER

TRACTORS (290) MOTOR-CYCLES (11,312); THREE-
WHEELERS (160); TOTAL ALL VEHICLES (199,715).
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